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Original Application**

### MACHINE WITH CUP-SHAPED ARMATURE AND AIR GAP

[X] the attached specification, which is a continuation of International Application No. PCT/US99/30785 filed December 22, 1999

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